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GENERAL ADMINISTRATION & PUBLIC GRIEVANCE DEPARTMENT

RESOLUTION

The 6th January, 2024

Subject: - Restructuring of the District Ministerial Cadre.

The restructuring of District Ministerial Cadre was considered in G.A. & P.G. Department Order No.37835/Gen., dated the 29th December, 2018 and Resolution No.5622/Gen., dated the 20th February, 2019 keeping in view of promotional avenue of employees of District Ministerial Cadre. Further, in order to provide better promotional prospects and to avoid stagnation in the cadre, common cadre at the level of Establishment Officer and above was created. The Collector of concerned District was declared as the cadre Controlling Authority of the said Common Cadre.

The different Ministerial Officers' Association of District Offices have been submitting demands to restore the said 671 Section Officer posts to open promotional avenue of Senior Assistants and further restructuring of the cadre.

Government, after careful consideration, have been pleased to create a separate District Revenue Ministerial Service Cadre for the ministerial employees working in Collectorates, Sub Collector Offices, Tahasils and also working in different offices like RTO, CSO, ICDS, Blocks , ITDA etc. by way of bifurcating the District Ministerial Service Cadre.

Now pursuant to separation of the District Revenue Ministerial Service, it has become imperative to amend Cadre Rules of the District Ministerial Service Cadre by way of restructuring, keeping in view the work responsibility and administrative requirements. Accordingly after careful consideration, Government have been pleased to modify the

Order No.37835/Gen., dated the 29th December, 2018 and Resolution No.5622/Gen., dated the 20th February, 2019 to the following extent:

- a. 671 posts of Section Officers were distributed for creation of hierarchical posts vide the above Orders/ Resolution during the restructuring of the District Ministerial Cadre. The hierarchical posts above Section Officer created in lieu thereof shall abolish to the extent of vacancies available as on the date of issue of this resolution.
- b. All employees who have been promoted against the promotional posts after commencement of the Odisha Ministerial Services (Method of Recruitment and Conditions of Service of Establishment Officer and Senior Establishment Officer in the Office of the District Offices) Common Cadre Rules, 2019 till the date of notification of this Resolution, shall continue to hold the promotional posts till their superannuation and once they retire, such post shall stand abolished with their retirement.
- c. District Level ministerial employees excluding the Revenue ministerial employees working in the Collectorate, Sub Collector Offices, Tahasils and also working as Revenue Assistant in offices like RTO, CSO, ICDS, Blocks , ITDA etc shall constitute the District Ministerial Service Cadre. The existing Cadre Rules shall be amended with required levels of promotional posts taking into consideration the administrative requirements.
- d. This will come into effect from the date of issue of this Resolution.

Order: Ordered that the Resolution be published in the next issue of the *Odisha Gazette* for general information and copies be forwarded to all Departments/All Heads of Departments/all District Headquarters for information.

By order of the Governor
SURENDRA KUMAR
Additional Chief Secretary to Government

